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A Rainbow Tea.

The Berean Baptist Mission Church is the name of a church organization which meets in the W. C. T. U. Hall, Prospect Street. The church is a branch of the North Orange Baptist Church, and the Rev. Edwin Bentley has been preaching there for about two months. Mr. Bentley does not receive any pay for his services and so it was proposed among the ladies of the church to arrange a Rainbow Tea and donate the proceeds to the pastor. Mrs. Downer and Mrs. Bailey, two members of the church who live in this town, proceeded to make a canvass to learn how many of the ladies would help in the affair. They met with little response outside of the members of the W. C. T. U., and it was suggested that the church and the Union combine in getting up the Rainbow Tea and divide the profits. Mr. Bentley and others did not approve of that plan, and the differences of opinion has led to some ill feeling among the members of the church, and there is some talk of resignations. The Rainbow Tea will take place on Monday night.

A Night Watchman.

Their is considerable talk in police circles about a night watchman at the ——. Superintendent Brown of the Newark Police force has recommended Harvey Rudden for the position, and Mr. Budden is endeavoring to negotiate with the store keepers to maintain a watchman. The Centre is well guarded by the local police at present, and if a night watchman is needed at the Centre Chief of Police Powers is undoubtedly better qualified to select such a man than any outside official, and Mr. Powers would no doubt find plenty of men within the township limits capable of doing the work. A night watchman would have to be maintained by private subscriptions and it is not likely that the merchants who are taxed for police protection will undertake the expense of maintaining a night watchman to patrol the Centre.

The Accident.

Monday was an exciting day along the line of the Morris and Essex division of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

The greatest catastrophe that has ever happened in the history of the road, occurred near the bridge of the Hackensack River. The affair created great excitement in this town, caused by a false report to the effect that one of the trains in collision was the 8.17 train from Bloomfield. The most alarming rumors were spread about town, even to the startling announcement that at least twenty-five Bloomfield and Montclair people were killed. The telegraph office was besieged by the excited throng.

Opposed to the Bill.

The residents of Glen Ridge are said to be very much opposed to the East Orange Improvement Association Township Government Bill and are talking of holding a meeting at Glen Ridge Hall to protest against its passage by the Legislature.

Bowling Scores.

The following scores were made at the Olympic during the week:

Andantie Bowling Club: Mr. More, 141, 182; Mr. Noble, 171, 172; Mrs. More, 128, 129; Mrs. Noble, 128, 159; Mrs. MacDonald, 93, 122.

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TOWNSHIP GOVERNMENT.

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and of the other officials of the police and fire departments, and to provide that said fire department may be either a voluntary or a paid department, with such complement of permanent men in such fire department and such number of policemen in the police department as the said ordinance shall provide.

9. And be it enacted, That it shall become the duty of the President of the township at the annual meeting of the Township Committee in each year to present in writing to the said Township Committee, and at such other times as may be deemed expedient, a general statement of the situation and condition of the affairs of said township, with such recommendations as he may think proper. He shall countersign all warrants drawn upon the Treasurer, Collector or Receiver of Taxes for the payment of money for any township purpose. He shall execute all contracts in the name of the township. He shall have control over and supervision of the conduct and acts of subordinate officers, and have authority to examine into all complaints preferred against them or any of them for violation or neglect of duty, and to prefer charges against them on his own motion, and shall have the power to suspend any employees of such township until the next regular meeting of the Township Committee next after such suspension shall take place, when he shall report in writing to such committee the fact of such suspension and his reason therefor, and if said committee shall approve by a majority vote of the act of said President in so suspending such officer, the office of the person so suspended shall from such approval be and become vacant, and he shall generally do and perform all such duties as may be required of him by law or by any ordinance of such township; he shall receive such compensation as shall be fixed by the Township Committee by ordinance not to exceed —— hundred dollars per annum.

10. And be it enacted, That every ordinance or resolution passed by the Township Committee shall, before it takes effect, be presented to the President of the township by the Township Clerk, duly signed by the chairman of the Township Committee and the Township Clerk. If he approve it, he shall sign it; if not, he shall return it with his objections and file it with such objections with the Township Clerk within ten days after he shall receive it, and such Township Committee shall at its first regular meeting held thereafter enter the objections at length on the minutes, and if two-thirds of all the members of such Township Committee agree to pass the same notwithstanding such objections, it shall take effect. The vote shall be taken by ayes and nays, and entered on the minutes. If such ordinance or resolution shall not be returned within ten days as aforesaid, it shall take effect in like manner as if it had been signed.

11. And be it enacted, That all ordinances of any such townships shall, before they shall be passed, be presented and read for the first time at the meeting at which they are presented, and if the Township Committee shall order the same to pass a first reading, the same shall be published as having passed such first reading for a period of once a week for two weeks in a newspaper printed and published in such township.

12. And be it enacted, That the Township Committee shall have authority by ordinance to provide for the appointment of a sinking fund commission to consist of three persons to be appointed by the Township President and confirmed by the Township Committee, who shall have charge, direction and control of the funds raised by taxation or coming from assessments, and which, by ordinance or otherwise, are placed into any sinking fund established to meet maturing bonds of the township, with right to invest or reinvest the same; that such commissioners shall hold their office for three years.

13. And be it enacted, That the Board of Health in the townships to which this act shall apply shall consist of the President of the Township, the Health Physician and three residents of the township to be appointed by the President and confirmed by the Township Committee; that the said Board when appointed shall have all the power and authority now or hereafter conferred by law upon boards of health as at present constituted.

14. And be it enacted, That the Township Committee of such townships shall have authority by ordinance to direct that there shall be raised each year upon all taxable property within such townships such sum or sums of money as they shall deem expedient for the following purposes:

I. For lighting the streets of the town;

II. For the maintenance and support of the poor;

III. For regulating, cleaning, and keeping in repair the streets and highways and the construction of crosswalks;

IV. For the support of the public schools;

V. For the support of the police department;

VI. For the support of the fire department;

VII. For water for the extinguishment of fires;

VIII. For the payment of interest upon the debt of the town and such part of the principal as may be due and payable;

IX. For the sinking fund required to be raised during the year;

X. For the salaries of officers not included under any other head;

XI. For the purchase of necessary real estate and the erection of buildings;

XII. For the contingent expenses of the town.

15. And be it enacted, That where in any township in this State to which this act shall apply, there shall be at the time of the passage of this act a division of the township into wards, that such division shall stand until other redivision of such wards shall be made by the Township Committee, if the term of office of any member of the Township Committee now in office and who has been elected from such ward will not expire with the first Monday in May, 1894, but who would hold his office but for the passage of this act until the first Monday in May, 1895.

16. And be it enacted, That it shall be unlawful for the Township Committee of any such township to award any contract or purchase any supplies where the amount required to be expended in payment thereof shall be five hundred dollars or more, except after bids shall have been asked and received therefor.

18. And be it enacted, That the Township Committee may provide by ordinance for the enforcement of the ordinances heretofore adopted or hereafter to be adopted by a fine not exceeding the sum of —— dollars in any one case or by imprisonment not exceeding ten days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and the police force in such township shall have power to arrest without warrant any person who shall be detected in the act of violating any of such ordinances.

20. And be it enacted, That the legal voters of said townships may at any general election or elections or at any special election or elections that may be held in pursuance of a resolution of the Township Committee, and which they are hereby authorized to pass, by a majority of all the votes cast, determine and decide to purchase, lease, or construct, erect and maintain public works for the following purposes or any of them, to wit:

I. For the lighting by gas, electricity, or otherwise, the buildings, houses, streets, avenues, and highways of such townships;

II. For the treatment, destruction, or removal of all garbage, night-soil, sewage, sewage-sludge, and refuse of any and every nature, kind, and description;

III. For a supply of water for public and private use;

IV. For police and fire department purposes and for the use of the township officers and the care and preservation of the public records and securities of the township; and the Township Committee, whenever it shall be thus determined and decided by said voters, may purchase, lease, or construct, erect and maintain such works for such purposes and issue bonds or other obligations for the cost and expense of the same for such term, upon such conditions, and at such a rate of interest not exceeding the legal rate of interest as established in this State, and said Township Committee may purchase in the corporate name of such township all real estate necessary for the aforesaid uses and purposes, and the President thereof may select and appoint by and with the approval of the Township Committee, under an ordinance adopted for that purpose, proper officers and assistants for the care, management, and maintenance by the township thereof, and by said ordinance or by resolution fix and pay them for their services reasonable salaries, and said Township Committee may by ordinance designate and fix the price and terms at and upon which light and water shall be furnished to private consumers, including the cost and expense of making the necessary connections with the public works.

21. And be it enacted, That this act shall be deemed a public act and shall take effect immediately, but nothing herein contained shall be construed to impair the exercise of the powers of the Township Committee of any such townships, which may be in conflict herewith, prior to the first day of May, 1894.

Sunday School Teachers' Convention.

There will be a grand rally of the Sunday-school workers of Montclair, Bloomfield, Caldwell, and Verona Townships, under the auspices of the Essex County Sunday-school Association, held in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, of Montclair, on Monday evening, January 29th, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. —— Martie, President of the Association, will preside at the meeting. The Rev. David J. Burrell, D. D., pastor of the Collegiate Reformed Church, Fifth Avenue, New York city, will deliver an address, his subject being "A Workwoman Needing Not to be Ashamed." Dr. Burrell is a charming speaker, and his address will be of a practical character and helpful to Sunday-school teachers. In addition to this, the Rev. E. Morris Ferguson, General Secretary of the New Jersey Sunday-school Association, will address the meeting.

Essex County for Christ.

This is the motto which has been adopted by the Christian Endeavor Union of this county in connection with the great evangelistic campaign which the Union has inaugurated. On Feb. 6 the meetings will commence in the First Presbyterian Church, Newark. Rev. Ford C. Ottman will be the evangelist. A large choir is being organized by Mr. L. D. H. Gilmour, and several committees are now rigorously at work thoroughly organizing the young people of the county for the work. After ten days of meetings in Newark, the movement will come to Bloomfield, and services will be commenced here on Sunday, Feb. 18. The Evangelical Union of this town is co-operating with the work here, and already preparation is being made to make the meetings a success.

Sewer Connections.

At a special meeting of the Township Committee on Thursday evening the question of house connections with the sewer was discussed and a resolution adopted forbidding any property owner having house connections made with the sewer without permission of the Township Committee. The committee will procure a copy of the East Orange sewer ordinance from which to frame an ordinance for this town.

The Blakeslee System.

The Blakeslee system of Sunday-school lessons has been adopted in the Westminster Presbyterian Church Sunday-school and will go into effect on Sunday, Feb. 4. The officers and teachers of the school met last night in the church chapel and talked over the new system. The change of system was unanimously adopted.

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Leave Bloomfield (Belleville Ave. station) 5.28, —, 7.05, 7.30, 7.59, 8.11, 9.47, 10.11 A. M., 12.24, —, 6.54, 9.27, 11.15 P. M. Sun—, 3.38, 4.38, —, 7.30, 9.00, A. M., 2.28, 6.59, 8.54 A. M.

Leave Orchard St. 5.30, *6.29, 7.07, 7.54, 10.13 A. M., —, 3.40, 4.40, 5.30, 9.29, 11.23 P. M. Sundays, —, 9.02, A. M., 2.30, *7.01, 8.56 P. M.

Trains marked * stops on signal.

From New York.

Leave foot of Chambers St.—6.10, 8.00, 9.00, — A. M., 1.30, 3.15, 4.15, 5.00, 5.37, 6.00, —, 7.00, 8.15, 10.00, 12.00 P. M. Sundays, —, 12.30, 4.30, 7.30, 10.30 P. M.

WATCHUNG RAILROAD.

To New York.

Leave Prospect Street—6.24, 7.02, 7.37, 7.51, 8.24, —, 10.07 A. M., 12.23, 2.40, 4.36, 6.46, 9.27, 11.19 P. M. Sundays 7.54, 9.31 A. M.; 1.27, 5.28, 7.26, — P. M.

From New York.

Leave foot of Chambers St.—6.10, 9.00, 10.30 A. M.; 1.30, 3.15, 4.15, 5.07, 5.45, 6.22, 7.00, —, 10.00, 12.00 P. M. Sundays 9.30 A. M.; 1.30, —, 6.15, 8.15, 10.00 P. M.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN.

To New York.

Leave Glen Ridge—5.54, 6.15, 6.50, 7.08, 7.39, —, 8.15, 8.30, 9.14, 10.27, 11.37 A. M., 12.48, 1.43, —, 3.32, 4.07, 4.41, 5.19, 5.48, 6.33, 7.02, 8.09, 9.13, —, 10.46 P. M. 12.06, 1.02 A. M.

Leave Bloomfield—5.56, 6.17, 6.52, 7.10, 7.41, 7.54, —, 8.32, 9.16, 10.29, 11.39 A. M., 12.50, 1.45, 2.45, —, 4.09, 4.43, 5.21, 5.50, 6.35, 7.04, 8.11, 9.15, 9.40, — P. M. 12.08, 1.04 A. M.

Leave Watsessing—5.58, 6.19, 6.54, 7.12, 7.43, 7.56, —, 9.18, 10.31, 11.41 A. M., 12.52, 1.48, 2.48, 3.37, —, 4.45, 5.23, 5.52, 6.37, 7.06, 8.13, 9.17, 9.42, — P. M., 12.10, 1.06 A. M.

From New York.

Leave foot of Barclay St.—6.00, 6.30, 7.10, 8.00, 9.20, —, 11.30 A. M., 12.30, 1.20, 2.10, 2.50, 3.40, 4.20, —, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.50, 6.20, 7.00, 7.50, 8.30, —, 10.45, 12.00 P. M.

Leave Newark 6.05, 6.20, 6.38, 7.10, 7.42, 8.33, 9.53, — A. M., 12.03, 1.03, 1.53, 2.43, 3.23, 4.13, 5.13, —, 6.03, 6.26, 6.53, 7.35, 8.23, 9.06, 10.22, 11.21, — P. M.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Frank Moran is ill with the grippe.

John Deihagen is sick with the grippe.

Congratulations are extended to Chas. Teall. It is a girl.

Miss Rose Thompson will leave on —day for Montreal.

Henry Caeman, the builder, is very ill and his recovery is doubtful.

Philip Bickler has moved into Edward —'s house on Bloomfield Avenue.

Edward Robotham of Thomas Street has gone to Ohio on a business trip.

Joseph D. Gallagher is ill at his home in Glen Ridge.

Chief Oakes has had the fire-plugs painted during the past week.

Henrick's Copper Works are temporarily closed.

Lawrence H. Shorter, the butcher, has gone to Paterson to open a meat market.

The German Theological Seminary students are rehearsing for a musical concert.

—— E. Willetts has returned home —— friends in New York.

—— a house connection —— sewer will probably be twenty-five dollars.

A "smoker" will be held to-night in the Glen Ridge Club. New York talent will entertain the gathering.

Sunday, January 28, will be Anniversary Day in St. Paul's P. E. Church. Bishop Starkey will preach.

Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Ledyard Haskell have been visiting friends in town during the past week.

District Deputy W. S. Cadmus installed the officers-elect of Montclair Lodge, Knights of Honor, Tuesday night.

The Young Men's Catholic Union will hold its annual reception in Union Hall on Wednesday night.

Last Sunday the members of the Truck Company discussed and disapproved of Dr. Parkhurst's methods.

Town Committeeman G. Lee Stout started on a Western trip to-day, and will be absent about two weeks.

The Glen Ridge Assembly in Glen Ridge Hall on Thursday night was a grand success.

Chicken thieves visited the hennery of H. L. Johnstone, Linden Avenue, on Thursday night.

—— Cossitt, who has been confined to his home by illness, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baldwin entertained the Tuesday Evening Whist Club last night.

The Epworth League of the Watsessing M. E. Church held a very enjoyable sociable at the parsonage, Lawrence Street, on Monday night.

On Sunday, Feb. 18, the religious revival meeting under the auspices of the County Y. P. S. C. E. will commence in this town.

The members of Eureka Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold a reception and dance in Central Hall next Wednesday night.

Dr. H. —— Harris of Glen Ridge has recently been appointed a member of the Dispensary Staff of the Orange Memorial Hospital.

Pastor Andrews of the Methodist Episcopal Church will preach in the Calvary M. E. Church, East Orange, to-morrow.

—— H. Ragan was banqueted at the American House on Wednesday night by the members of the Truck Company. It was a pleasant social affair.

Kate Osborne, who died in Montclair Sunday, was buried from the Church of the Sacred Heart on Tuesday morning.

Charles Grieshaber of Belleville Avenue has heard from his nephew Christian Grieshaber, who disappeared last May. The latter is in South America.

Taxes for 1893 must be paid before the 31st inst., or they will go on records at the Court house as a lien against property.

The Rev. Adam Chambers, the artist evangelist, closed a week of interesting religious services at the First Baptist Church last night.

Gottfried Kurz, proprietor of the Watsessing House, is very ill. He was taken sick very suddenly on Wednesday and has been unconscious since.

George Simonson, formerly of Andrews & Simonson, has bought out W. H. Wheeler's market on Belleville Avenue, Montclair.

A. P. Clark, formerly of Montclair, died at the residence of his niece, Miss Alice Cooper of Bloomfield Avenue, last Friday. He was buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

A nice looking young woman has been going about Montclair and this town during the evenings, representing herself as a servant seeking a place, and asking for a night's lodging.

A birthday party tendered Miss Millie Daniels at her home on State Street, Wednesday night, was a very pleasant social affair. Many were present.

The Lappin Brake Shoe Company does not appear to have felt the business depression very seriously. The company's furnace has been in use every day.

Charles H. Johnson represented Bloomfield and Essex Truck Company at the Old Guard reception in Madison Square Garden on Thursday evening.

A number of Bloomfield people went to New York Wednesday afternoon to attend the first of a series of organ recitals at at the First Presbyterian Church given by Professor William C. Carl.

E. W. Sutton, L. R. Barrett, W. S. S. Rowland, G. Lee Stout, Robert S. Rudd, and Wilson Phraner were elected trustees of the Westminster Presbyterian Church on Thursday night.

The marriage of George W. Trear and Miss Edith Crouse, which took place in New York last month and was only announced last week, has occasioned some surprise.

J. H. Baldwin has purchased the entire right and title of Moffat's Bloomfield and Montclair Directory from F. N. Moffat who will be employed on Baldwin's Directory in the Bloomfield and Montclair field.

Among the bequests of the late Margaret C. Hunter was one of $5,000 to her brother George Coe. If Mr. Coe does not claim the money within five years it goes to the First Presbyterian Church.

It has been remarked that the East Orange Township Bill does not provide for municipal ownership of a water plant. This has led to some supposition that the Orange Water Company had a hand in framing the bill.

It is proposed to have the Superintendent of Public Works have charge of the work of making the house connections with the sewers from the main sewer to the fence line, inside of that line property owners can employ their own help to do the work.

The Essex Paper Mill, which suspended operation when the Cordage Trust failed some time ago, resumed work on Tuesday. The mill is now operated by the Diamond Paper Company. James Boyne is retained as Superintendent by the new management.

A colored man named James Seat lies in the Mountainside Hospital nursing two broken ribs and other injuries. He was struck by a locomotive last Monday morning while walking on the D., L. & W. R. R. track. The accident occurred near the Second River bridge.

A birthday surprise party was tendered Miss Bessie Van Winkle last Friday evening at her home on Montgomery Street. A large number of friends were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

The condition of Washington Street is wretched indeed, and unless a firm grip is kept upon the contractors the same difficulty about the repair of the street will ensue that was encountered on Montgomery Street in the case of the Orange outlet sewer.

The annual entertainment of the Athletic Association of the Montclair Military Academy will be held in the Gymnasium on Friday evening, Feb 2, 1894. The Boston School Club and James F. Burdett will be the attraction.

The low property on the north side of Washington Avenue just west of Thomas Street, which belongs to Geo. Roubaud, is undergoing a great improvement. A space of one hundred feet from the sidewalk back is being filled up to a level with Washington Avenue.

William Kreurich will not have a walk-over for the Republican nomination for Township Committeeman in the Second Ward. Ex-Chief Engineer T. Howell Johnson has a large number of friends in that ward, who are satisfied that the ex-Chief would make a good representative in the Committee.

The Epworth League Society of the Park M. E. Church has elected the following officers: President, C. E. Van Winkle; First Vice-President, Jennie Redfern; Second Vice-President, Henry Huber; Third Vice-President, Geo. W. Heath; Secretary, Miss Josie Cadmus; Treasurer F. E. Langstroth.

District Deputy J. R. Hardcastle, of this town, and W. K. Thomas, of Montclair, went to Bernardsville Monday night to install the officers of the Council of the Royal Arcanum of that place. W. K. Thomas officiated as grand guide and Deputy Hardcastle's assistant.

Mr. William C. Carl will give several afternoons of organ music in the First Presbyterian Church, Fifth Avenue and 12th Street, New York, Wednesdays, January 24th, 31st, and February 7th, at 4 o'clock, assisted by distinguished soloists. These recitals will be free to the public.

Nellie Keobnloin, of Watsessing, who was seriously injured last March by falling down a flight of stairs at the Seabury laboratory at East Orange, is still confined to the Mountainside Hospital. A few days ago erysipelas set in and Miss Keobnloin's condition is critical.

William Croose, of the "Bowery" end of this town, was a prisoner in the Bloomfield Police Station Sunday charged with assult and battery by a Mr. Keller. Croose and his stepmother were quarreling. Keller entered Croose's house and ordered the wrangling couple to be quiet. Keller got a thrashing, and the arrest of Croose followed.

While driving along Bloomfield Avenue at a rapid gait on Saturday night, a carriage driven by Martin Feeney, coachman for F. M. Harrison, in Montclair, was run into by a wagon at the corner of Hill Street and Bloomfield Avenue. The coachman was thrown and struck on his head, cutting a deep gash. He was unconscious when picked up, and was taken to the Mountainside Hospital. He will recover.

Mrs. James Galloway, who lives at the foot of the inclined plane, is recovering from an overdose of morphine given to her on Saturday. Mrs. Galloway is suffering from throat troubles. Dr. Charles H. Bailey prescribed morphine to relieve her. Her attendant gave Mrs. Galloway one capsula more than was prescribed. Dr. Bailey had hard work resuscitating his patient. She is now on the road to complete recovery.

Within the last few days several young men of Glen Ridge have received through the mail letters of an obscene nature. Julian I. Gregory received one of the notes, and his father will probably hand it over to the Government officials and endeavor to have the writer punished. Postmaster Moritz does not know by whom the letters were mailed. They have the Glen Ridge stamp.

Messrs. Arthur N. Pierson and R. H. Butterworth, of East Orange, recently purchased a farm of fifty-six acres near Pompton. A short time ago it was found that the land in that vicinity contained valuable mines, and a piece of land near theirs, of four and one-half acres, was sold for $87,000. Messrs. Pierson and Butterworth intend shortly to inspect their purchase.

The leading society event of the year in Watsessing is the grand annual ball of the Watsessing Field Club. The entertainment Committee of the Club met on Thursday night to arrange for the ball, which will take place early in February. George H. Butterworth will be master of ceremonies. Mr. Butterworth will probably have the valuable assistance of William E. Griffin in the arrangement of the order of dancing.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, so well-known as "The Queen of the American Platform," will lecture in the Union Hall, Orange, on Monday, Jan. 22, 1894, under the auspices of the Essex County Women's Suffrage Society. As Vice-President of the Commission and special pleader in every holy cause, Mrs. Livermore has perhaps done as much for our country as any man or woman living. All are cordially invited to attend.

Flagpoles.

With proper care a flagpole ought to last a great many years in spite of the incessant exposure to the elements. Of course the best preservative of wood is paint, and a man who has a flagstaff which has cost him a good sum of money should see that it is painted at least once every 12 months. Flagpoles generally rot at the bottom first, and then have to be taken down to prevent them from falling of their own weight. The usual length of a pole on top of a high building is from 50 to 75 feet. It is not difficult to get a pole in one piece 50 feet long, but when a man wants to add 25 feet to that he has to do it by means of splicing.—Boston Herald.

THE DEATH OF MARLBOROUGH.

The sun shines on the chamber wall,
The sun shines through the tree;
Now, though unshaken by the wind,
The leaves fall ceaselessly;
The bells from Woodstock's steeple
Shake Blenheim's fading bough.
"This day you won Malplaquet"
"Aye, something then, but now!"

They lead the old man to a chair,
Wandering pale and weak;
His thin lips move; so faint the sound
You scarce can hear him speak.
They lift a picture from the wall,
Bold eyes and swelling brow.
"The day you won Malplaquet"—
"Aye, something then, but now!"

They reach him down a rusty sword
In faded velvet sheath;
The old man drops the heavy blade
And mutters 'tween his teeth.
There's sorrow in his fading eye
And pain upon his brow.
"With this you won Malplaquet"—
"Aye, something then, but now!"

Another year; a stream of lights
Flows down the avenue;
A mile of mourners, sable clad,
Walk weeping two by two;
The steward looks into the grave
With sad and downcast brow.
"This day he won Malplaquet"—
"Aye, something then, but now!"

—Walter Thornbury in New York Ledger.

THE MECCA OF LEISURE.

A Place For Wealthy People Who Desire Comfortable Indolence.

Washington is rapidly becoming a favorite place of residence for people who have made fortunes elsewhere, and who are devoting the remainder of their lives to having a good time in a quiet way. There is a large colony of such families, and they contribute enormously to the general stock of elegant and comfortable indolence for which the city is noted. Then there are the retired army and navy officers. Their name is legion, and Washington is their favorite place to live. You see them in great numbers in the clubs, on the thoroughfares, in society. Nor must the widows be overlooked. There are more widows in Washington than in any other city in this country, size for size. The widows of public men, of army and navy officers, of private citizens in all ranks of life, gravitate to the Capital City as the pleasantest place they know of to pass the autumn of life.

The diplomatic corps comprises several hundred more or less idle and fashionable men and women. Literary and scientific men, especially those enjoying incomes and independence from inherited or other sources, are numerous in Washington. Always the city contains thousands of visitors attracted by the peculiar interest which attaches to the seat of government.

Is it any wonder that we have here an ease loving and an ease enjoying population? Are you surprised that Washington laziness has become proverbial throughout the country? Do you marvel that our streets and avenues are rialtoes in which comfortableness, fashion, superficiality, even insincerity, are constantly displayed?

The street life of Washington is always interesting. The good dressing gives an air of elegance to the thoroughfares, which, with their famous shade trees and pavements smooth and clean as a floor, are themselves elegant. The number of noted men and beautiful women to be seen in any given walk or drive adds to the charm of the scene. The bicycles, numbered literally by thousands, add the spice of rapidity and whirl to a picture that might otherwise lack somewhat of action.—Washington Letter.

She Wasn't His Wife.

The man got into a street car comfortably filled and crowded into a seat next to a sharp faced woman in the corner. He squeezed her up against the end of the car, took out a newspaper, and shoving it half across her face began to read. She stood it for about five minutes.

"Excuse me," she said then, "are you a married man?"

He dropped his paper and looked at her.

"Yes," he replied curtly.

"I thought so," she went on. "Ain't your wife a little woman that won't say her soul's her own and lets you impose on her all you want to? I suppose she carries in the coal, builds the fires, gets your slippers, does the marketing, mends your clothes, tends to the children, submits like a lamb when you find fault and is generally an excellent wife, ain't she?"

"Madam"— he began.

"Don't say a word," she interrupted "I'm not your wife, am I?"

"No, and I'm"——

"That's all right. And as I'm not I don't propose to have you sitting down on me and crowding me up in this corner till I can't breathe without wheezing like a steam engine. Why don't you get out and walk?" and the passengers snickered so that he did.—Detroit Free Press.

Found Them Invaluable.

"I suppose typewriters are very common now," said she musingly as she settled back in her favorite rocking chair after dinner.

"Oh, yes," he said, "they're quite a necessity in every line of business."

"You have one?" she asked.

"Yes, indeed," he replied as he hastily looked over the evening paper. "I'd feel lost without one."

"Lightens your work, does it?"

"Lightens it? Why, it makes it an absolute pleasure. I wouldn't be without one for the world."

"Saves time, too, I suppose?"

"It makes it pass so rapidly that you hardly notice it."

"How much does a good typewriter cost, John?"

"Oh, not much," he said absentmindedly. "You can get a rattling pretty one for $12 or $15 a week."

Before he had time to read the first sentence of the article he had started on he was suddenly jarred into consciousness of the fact that wife was referring to machines, not operators, and that somehow he had made a serious mistake.—Chicago Post.

Peg Tankards.

The pegging or marking of drinking cups was introduced by St. Dunstan to check the intemperate habits of the times by preventing one man from taking a larger draft than his companions. But the device proved the means of increasing the evil it was intended to remedy, for, refining upon St. Dunstan's plan, the most abstemious were required to drink precisely to a peg or pin, whether they could soberly take such a quantity of liquor or not. To the use of such cups may be traced the origin of many of our popular phrases. When a person is much elated, we will say, "He is in a merry pin," and "He is a peg too low," when he is not in good spirits. On the same principle we talk of "taking a man down a peg" when we would check forwardness.—Sala's Journal.

An Active Mind.

Fond Mother—My boy has a very active mind, don't you think?

Teacher—Assuredly. I wish you could hear the dear little fellow talk when he gets caught at something and tries to make me believe that he didn't do it.—Good News.

A Repetition.

The tableaux given on Tuesday evening in Westminster Chapel were so successful that the King's Daughters of Glen Ridge have been asked to repeat them for those who could not attend on Tuesday.

A repetition will be given therefore on Saturday evening, January 20th (this week), at 8 P. M., in Westminster Chapel. The programme will be shortened by the omission of recitations; otherwise it will be the same, and the tickets will be only 25 cents. No tickets issued for Tuesday will be received only the red tickets will be taken. For sale at the drug-stores and the Glen Ridge Station.

This is all for the poor of our town. People have been heard to say, "There are no poor in Bloomfield." This is a great mistake; there are numbers who need help. Help this entertainment and you will help them and be greatly pleased as well.

The following are some of the tableaux that pleased the audience last Tuesday night: Bits of Bronze from Cairo Street, The Most Important Man in Chicago, An Exhibit from the Midway, An Exhibition from the Woman's Building, "The Mass in Brittany," "Nell and Her Grandfather," From the Turkish Theatre on the Midway, "Pottery Shop in Cairo," Solo, "The Sacrifice," "Ciocara, with Flowers," "A Simple Song," "Don Juan in Hell," "Death and the Sculptor," "A Familiar Scene in the Midway," "At the Temple Gate," A Summer Shower, "Italian Idyl," *a*. Echo, *b*. The First Transgression, Statue of the Republic, Court Yard of the Vermont Building, Recitation, "The Redemption of Tannhauser."

Dance at the Club.

A large and brilliant gathering of the society people of Glen Ridge and vicinity filled the hall of the Glen Ridge Club house Wednesday night. The occasion was a fancy dress or costume party, and the rich and beautiful costumes of the ladies presents, in connection with the decorations, made the scene a most delightful one.

Among the many present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wright Stout, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stout, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Berrien, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Davis, Miss Martha Gallagher, Miss Stout, Miss Cleveland, Miss Bensen, the Misses Bates, H. G. Darwin, Mrs. W. H. White, Mrs. G. Lee Stout, Miss Harrison, and Miss Darwin, R. G. Thomas, Robert S. Rudd, George Roubaud, H. W. Benson, G. Lee Stout, Jr.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it Free. Call on the advertised Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, Free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. Geo. M. Wood's Drugstore.—*Adv.*

Shot His Hand Off.

George W. Charles, a youth residing with his uncle Joseph Charles on Watsessing Avenue, shot his hand off yesterday while playing with a loaded shotgun.

S. Scheuer & Co., the enterprising grocers and tea dealers, announce a special gift offer of a handsome table to every purchaser of one pound of tea or baking powder.

List of Letters.

remaining unclaimed in the Post-office at Bloomfield for the week ending Jan. 20:

Baker, C.	Roberts, Mrs.
Casey, Henry	Dodd, Wm. R.
Graham, John	Rubsamen, Wm.
Stewart, Miss	Sweeny, Mrs. Maggie

Any person calling for the above will please ask for advertised letters.

T. E. HAYES, Postmaster.

Piano Logic,

Like every other article of merchandise, there are poor, good, better and best Pianos. The word "best" means a great deal. Be charitable when the salesman makes use of it; he only means one of the best. The points to decide upon are whether you want one for a time or a lifetime; one of the mediums or one of the best. Then comes the old, old question, how to make a saving? Perhaps we can help you, we have some of the best.

GABLER.

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S. D. LAUTER CO.

657 & 659 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.

ROBERT FEILING,

THE JEWELER,

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

REPAIRING NEATLY DONE. ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

Give me a call before going elsewhere and you will find my prices low.

Full Line of Eye Glasses at Lowest Prices.

EYES EXAMINED FREE OF CHARGE.

Robert Feiling, 16 Broad St., Bloomfield.

WANTED.

DRESSMAKER WOULD LIKE A FEW customers to sew for at home. 20 New Street.

WANTED TO BUY HORSE, HARness, and Buggy. Horse to be sound and gentle. Harness and Buggy in first-class condition. Address, stating lowest price, CASH BUYER, Citizen office.

WANTED: ROUGH WASHING TO do at home. Apply evenings at 323 Franklin Street, Bloomfield.

WANTED. A GIRL AS CHAMBERmaid and waitress. Must have good references. 425 Franklin Street.

WANTED TO PURCHASE A GOOD family horse must be heavy enough for surrey or coupe. Also a Phaeton or Rockaway Coupe harness, blankets etc. All must be in first class condition. Any one wanting to dispose of a full outfit cheap address, T. O. CITIZEN OFFICE.

WANTED. AGENTS TO SELL OUR choice and hardy nursery stock either on salary or Commission. We also give our men the privilege of selling our new and choice varieties of seed potatoes. Secure the agency at once, which will handsomely repay you as now is the time to sell such goods for spring planting. Address F. N. MAY COMPANY, Nurserymen and Propagators of Choice Seed Potatoes, Rochester, N. Y.

LUDWIG BAUMANN & COMP'Y,

America's greatest cash and credit ——, complete house-furnishers and universal providers.

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Require some first class Country Agents. Address attention to mail order department.

FOR SALE.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading, or For Sale, To Let, etc., at the rate of ONE CENT PER WORD for each insertion.

FOR SALE. A CHEAP BUGGY. INquire of the AMERICAN HOUSE.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN. PROperty on Liberty and Spruce Street, lot 100x50 large house and lawn. C. W. POWERS.

FOR SALE OR TO LET. FURNISHed house, nine rooms, all modern improvements, gas, city water, and in first class order, high ground, splendid location. Barn with four stalls, also wagon house with stall for cow. Five minutes from station. THOMAS B. BAXTER, 253 Glenwood Avenue.

TO LET.

FOR RENT. HOUSE ON LIBERTY Street, fourteen Rooms, all improvements, long lease, $40 per month. C. W. POWERS.

A PRIZE FOR MEN AND WOMEN

SEND your address to us for a sealed circular, and hear what we have to say if your Bust, Face or Neck needs filling out, or you need enlargement or vigor in any way. No failure with us.

SYNDICATE T. & MFG. CO.,

47 North 13th St., Phila., Pa.

THE SECOND QUARTER

OF

Miss Upham's Dancing Class

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Friday, Jan. 19, 1894,

IN

GLEN RIDGE HALL, at 3.30 P. M.

Those wishing to join may apply that afternoon.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the accounts of the subscriber, surviving executor of James Wilde, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Essex, on Tuesday, the sixth day of March next.

JOSEPH WILDE.

Dated December 26, 1893.

Notice of Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the Accounts of the Subscriber, Administrator Cum Test annexo of Fanny G. Lewis, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Essex, on Tuesday the 27th day of February next.

JOHN G. BROUGHTON.

Dated December 15, 1893.

Notice of Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the Accounts of the Subscriber, Executor of John Murphy deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Essex, on Tuesday, the 27th day of March next.

JOHN F. HALLINAN.

Dated January 18, 1894.

January 15, 1894.

ESTATE OF MARGARET HUNTER, Deceased. Pursuant to the order of JOHN B. DUSENBERRY, Surrogate of the County of Essex, this day made, on the application of the undersigned Executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting, or recovering the same against the subscriber. HALSEY M. BAR——

Collector's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that all taxes on Real Estate for 1893, remaining unpaid on January 31, 1894, will be recorded at the Court House as a first lien on the property.

A. C. MARR, Collector.